GRIFENHAGEN HITS AT SHERIFF'S FEES

Reports to Governor on Manner in Which He Has Conducted the Office.

WAS READY FOR I. W. W.

he conducted the office to Gov. Whitman was not required to file a report by law he believed the suggestions in it might be useful to the Governor in the event that the proposition to abolish the office of Sheriff comes before him.

Mr. Grifenhagen advised the Governor that there was no reason why the office should be continued except for the necessity of having some statutory officer to see that the mandates of the courts are carried out. Ex-Sheriff Grifenhagen

ment to prevent injury to person and property, and made arrangements in case the situation got beyond the control of and an organized uniformed force. unnecessary for me to identify in this report, which would have quickly taken hold of the situation."

The retiring Sheriff believes that the duty of transporting all prisoners to sing Sing and the island penal instituter. After Tony had talked to Dean tions should be turned over to the De-Kirchwey he was put in his cell, but partment of Correction. He says that during his two years term his deputies cted judgments aggregating \$1,070,-727, less the statutory fees. He says he reduced the number of special deputy sheriffs appointed by the late Sheriff Harburger from 2,700 to 127, and the appointments he made were only for the purpose of preserving the peace and the good news to Mr. Osborne in rding private property where the uni-med police were not stationed.

Hits at Ludlow Jail.

Mr. Grifenhagen repeats his previously expressed opinion that Ludlow street fall should be abolished, and says that men who refuse to pay alimony should be sent to "a real jail," while impris-onment for debt should be abolished en-

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Joseph H. Choate has written to S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, to congratulate the league on its preparedness activities. He suggests also that upon the American people lies the solemn duty of redoubling their efforts to obtain action by Congress. The letter, which was made public yesterday, was in part as follows:

"There is no clear indication that Congress, notwithstanding the recommendations of the President based on the reports of the Segretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, intends to do anything more than to be a trifle more liberal than in former years in maval and military appropriations. This will not meet our present national needs nor what I believe to be the popular demands.

"In the absence to date of any manifest determination in Congress to support preparedness, I would most seriously urge the solemn duty of redoubling our efforts to bring to our Representatives' attention the necessity for prompt and broad action. We should also insist upon the people generally making their demands known. I believe that this can best be done through supt port of the league and by general representation in the approaching conference at Washington. I hope the league

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of our members."

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on Whistle Not Sounded.

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The ball department established an-

Tough Tony" Ends Hunt by Returning to Sing Sing Prison.

CHANGE OF HEART IN CITY

OSSINING, N. Y., Jan. 2 .- Tough Tony Max S. Grifenhagen, whose term as Mareno, the Sing Sing trusty who was Sheriff expired on December 31, has sub- Thomas Mott Osborne's valet, justified mitted a report of the manner in which acting Warden Kirchwey's diagnosis of his psychology to-night by coming back In doing so he explained that although he to the prison and giving himself up. Tony cast a gloom over the prison last night, at the beginning of the new year and Dean Kirchwey's wardenship, by taking advantage of the movie performince to slip quietly away.

Dean Kirchwey and all of the mempers of the Mutual Welfare League are jubilant. Tony was cheered when he walked into the warden's office at 11 o'clock last night and said: "I've come

train at Tarrytown and saw him. Mr. Miller decided that Tony was going back of his own free will, and that he would let him do it, so he took a taxicab to the prison and arrived before him.

When Tony walked into the office he found awaiting him a group of trusties.

Immediately there went up a cheer which was choed from the cell block a moment

later. After Tony had talked to Dear Kirchwey he was put in his cell, but he will continue as the new warden's

the good news to Mr. Osborne in Auburn. "Thank God," cried Mr. Osborne. "bu

Proves "Paychology" Sound.

In all the joyful prison probably the most joyful was Dean Kirchwey, who saw in the return of Tony not only a complete vindication of the Mutual Wel-fare League and of prison reform methods of dealing with convicts but

onment for debt should be abolished entirely. He expects to continue as a private individual his efforts to have Ludlow street jail done away with.

Concerning his compensation Mr. Grifchalagen said that in 1914 he got fees of \$44,629 in addition to his salary of \$15,000, and for the last year the fees amounted to about the same. The retring Sheriff says:

"My experience of two years in the Sheriff's office has convinced me that even without the legislation suggested by me the salary allowed the Sheriff of New York is excessive. The Sheriff is by statute provided with the service of counsel to be selected by him, assis-"My experience of two years in the heriff's office has convinced me that were without the legislation suggested were more to prison. Freedew York is excessive. The Sheriff of ew York is excessive. The Sheriff of counsel to be selected by him, assistant counsel to be selected by him, assistant counsel and a law clerk. The sunsel assistant counsel and a law clerk. The sunsel assistant counsel and a law clerk. The would not call it escape—of Mr. Osborne's valet. "I am a poor pay-chologist if Tony doesn't come back. This is no ordinary case of escape. The poor fellow simply got terribly depressed because he believed his idol, Mr. Osborne, seemed to be in trouble. He wandered off, not knowing what he was doing.

"Why, if I were to meet Tony in the wireless wiretapping game. Two important members of the notorious Gondorf gang were sent to prison. Fred-has been more than a month buffeted by Atlantic gales, with 300 passengers, by Atlantic gales, with 300 pass

Osborne. He sat in a corner brood-ing and muttering to himself in Italian. You know he told Mr. Osborne once that

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Members of the legislative committee evening charges against Commissioner

process of formation. important discrepancies will be shown trustees. between Commissioner Wood's testimony egarding the movement of his bank

record entities him to be considered in-nocent until proved guilty, the more so because of the well known antagonism aroused by his reduction of graft in prison management. Mr. Osborne's ideals and nearly all his methods de-serve the unqualified support of the whole public."

In case of an appeal from the commis-sion's ruling the Court of Appeals would be asked to decide. Senator Thompson agreed with Mr. Lewis that the water companies should during his last year as the chief prose-cutor of the county.

In the year Mr. Perkins's assistants lie Service Commission.

THESSALONIKI NEARS PORT.

other record by collecting \$116,451.11 on forfeited bail bonds.

During his term of office Mr. Perkins broke up the wireless wiretapping game.

The Greek liner Thessaloniki, which be placed at the disposal of the First a second with pay the part of the said:

"May Reach Here To-morrow."

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of counsel to be selected by him, assistant counsel and a law clerk. The counsel and a law clerk are paid by the county. Properly advised by counsel, the possible liability of the Sheriff is negligible. In recent years no Sheriff has been compelled to pay any substantial amount by way of damages. "I strongly recommend, therefore, that without regard to legislation proposed by the sheriff, the compensation might well be substantially reduced."

CHOATE URGES PREPAREDNESS.

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Congratulates National Security

League on Its Activities.

Once the strong of the sheriff is a corner brood-incomplete on the sould not be corner to be search for the sample of the strong of the st

in Letter to Defence Society Board.

The members of the advisory board committee's success in obtaining this morning the bankbooks of Commissioner need of adequate defence for the nation boarder in his home. wood, his brother, P. Erskine Wood, and his mother. If these bankbooks are fence Society, which is headed by C. S.

able to effect some arrangement with the legislatures of other States whereby the legislatures of other States whereby the legislature committee would be authorized to take this testimony, in result increase in our army and navy the legislatures.

Senator Thompson made it plain that the plan of Merton E. Lewis, coursel to the committee, of abolishing the present Public Service Commission and substituting two new commissions, one of which would control the regulation of lighting, telephone and telegraph companies, while the other handled rail-roads and transportation, is Mr. Lewis own idea, and that the legislative committee is not now backing it.

Senator Thompson has a different idea; he wants a commission of seven men, three from up State, three from the city and one appointed from any part of the State. The three city members would regulate city public service corporations and the three up-State corporations in case a decision of either body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven bors were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven bors were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven bors would regulate city public service corporations and the three up-State corporations. In case a decision of either body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven body were questioned it would be referred to the whole commission of seven body of the state. The three city members would regulate city public service corporations and the created by Scate Naval Militia and the proportion of the state of t

Commodore Robert Forshew of the favorably yesterday of the report of the division of naval militia affairs of the Navy Department, which was made public in Washington on Saturday. Speaking of recommendations for legis-lation granting Federal employees who are members of State naval militia forces leave of absence with pay dur-ing annual practice cruises he said: "It

The report also calls for battleships to

TWO DIE OF GAS AT **NEW YEAR'S PARTY**

Investigators Expect Charges Danger of Delay Pointed Out Critical Condition of Three Others in East Side Flat Puzzles Physicians.

MORE POWER IS SOUGHT LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY SEWER FUMES SUSPECTED

which has been investigating the Public of the American Defence Society will apartment at 646 East Thirteenth street H. G. SMITH, WEIGHING Service Commission expect that by this attend a luncheon at the Hotel Bilt- ended yesterday morning with the death more on Wednesday as guests, with of Reuben Sterngus, 27 years old, and | Robert Colgate Wood will be in the the society's trustees, of Henry C. his five-year-old daughter, Rose, and the Quinby, one of the latter body. The removal to Believue Hospital of Stern-Tals is largely dependent upon the purposes of the luncheon and meeting gus's wife, Molly, 27; his six-months-old

forthcoming the investigators believe Thompson as chairman of the board of ing that mystifled police and physicians Thompson as chairman of the board of trustees.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who is member of the advisory board, said in a letter accepting an invitation to the street in front of the house.

Ing that mystified police and physicians, As the news spread in the neighborhood that the whole family had been overloomed in a strange manner a crowd of 3,000 excited East Siders jammed the Saturday of lobar pneumonia after an illness of four days. Mr. Smith, who

licemes, on the other hand, believed there was a faint scent which appeared to come from coal gas, alcohol and sewer fumes. All the windows were tightly closed.

In support of the gas poisoning theory the police pointed out that a dove was found dead in a cage over the kitchen stove. A Yorkshire cerrier lay under the bed in weakened state.

The possibility of poisoning from sewer fumes was considered likely after De-tective Clare learned that the houses tective Clare learned that the houses in the vicinity, which are all built or made ground, had previously been subject to such outpourings during high tide in the East River. No tenant in the house knew of any quarrel between

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